

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

MINES & MINERALS - Prospecting Licence for Manganese Ore over an extent of 517.82 Acres of Gollaghat village, Thamsi Mandal, Adilabad District for a period of 2 years in favour of M/s Balaji Electro Smelters Limited - Sanction - Orders - Issued.

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INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (M-III) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.Ms.No. 149**

**Dated:20-06-2009**  
**Read the following:-**

- 1) From the M/s Balaji Electro Smelters (P) Limited, PL Application dt.22-12-2003.
  - 2) From the DM&G file No.13324/R8-2/2004, dt.19-05-2005.
  - 3) Govt. Lr.No.11098/M-III(2)/2005-2, dated 11-08-2006.
  - 4) From the Min. of Mines, GOI, Lr.No.5/1356/2007-MIV, dt.26-06-2008 and 04-07-2008.
  - 5) From Smt.Urmila Chowdary, Representation dt.07-07-2008.
  - 6) Orders of High Court of A.P, WP No.6093 of 2008 dt.20-10-2008.
  - 7) Govt.memo No.11098/M.III(2)/2005, dt.19-11-2008.
  - 8) From the Under Secretary to GOI, Ministry of Mines, Lr.No. 5/135/2006-MIV, dt.12-12-2008.
  - 9) From the DM&G file No.13324/R8-2/2004, dt.02-05-2009.
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**ORDER:-**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, M/s Balaji Electro Smelters (P) Limited have applied for grant of Prospecting Licence for Manganese Ore over an extent of 648.08 Acres in S.No. 67 to 75 and 77 to 89 of Gollaghat Village, Thamsi Mandal, Adilabad District, for a period 2 years.

**2.** Based on the proposals in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above of Director of Mines & Geology, the Government have proposed for grant of Prospecting Licence for Manganese Ore over an extent of 555.91 acres in Sy.Nos. 67, 69, 71 to 76, 78, 79, 80, 82, 83 ad 85 to 89 of Gollaghat village, Thamsi Mandal, Adilabad District, in favour of M/s Balaji Electro Smelters Limited for a period of 2 years and accordingly vide reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above have requested the Government of India to convey the prior approval under Section 5(1)(b) and relaxation of Section 6 (1) (c) of M.M. (D&R) Act, 1957.

**3.** In the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Ministry of Mines, Government of India, have conveyed their approval for grant of Prospecting Licence for Manganese Ore over an extent of 555.91 acres in Sy.Nos. 67, 69, 71 to 76, 78, 79, 80, 82, 83 ad 85 to 89 of Gollaghat village, Thamsi Mandal, Adilabad Mandal and District, in favour of M/s Balaji Electro Smelters Limited for a period of 2 years under Section 5 (1) of MM (D&R)Act, 1957 and subject to invocation of powers under Section 6(1) (c) of the Act by the State Government.

**4.** Now, the Director of Mines & Geology after deleting the area over an extent of 39.20 acres in Sy.Nos 68, 69 of Gollghat village, Tamsi Mandal, Adilabad District recommended in favour of Smt.Urmilla Chowdary, has proposed for grant of Prospecting Licence for Manganese Ore over an extent of 517.82 Acres in the following Sy.Nos. of

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Gollaghat village, Thamsi Mandal, Adilabad District for a period of 2 years in favour of M/s Balaji Electro Smelters Limited, subject to obtaining the Consent for Establishment (CFE) from the State Pollution Control Board and from GOI, MOEF, since the Government of India, Ministry of Mines in the letter dt.26-06-2008 has already conveyed approval under Section 5(1) of MM (D&R) Act,1957 and invocation of powers under Section 6(1) (c ) of MM(D&R) Act,1957 by the State Govt.

Sy.No.	Extent Recommended ( in Acres)	Sy.No.	Extent Recommended ( in Acres)	Sy.No.	Extent Recommended ( in Acres)
67	12.21	75/C	13.15	83/C	67.09
71	36.07	78/A	6.00	85	1.25
72	34.25	78/B	16.20	86	2.05
73	20.36	79	23.07	87/1	22.29
74	36.06	80	27.11	87/2	4.24
75/A	4.00	82	24.36	87/3	4.24
75/B	2.00	83/A	67.10	88/1	17.08
75/C	2.10	83/B	67.09	88/2	8.12
				89	0.33
				<b>Total</b>	<b>517.82</b>

**5.** Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby grant a Prospecting Licence for Manganese Ore over an extent of 517.82 Acres in Sy.Nos. mentioned at para (4) above of Gollaghat village, Thamsi Mandal, Adilabad District in favour of M/s Balaji Electro Smelters Limited for a period of 2 years, subject to satisfaction of MM(D&R) Act, 1957 and MC Rules, 1960 and subject to other applicable Acts & Rules including Forest (Conservation) Act,1980 and also subject to the conditions in Form-F prescribed under the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and to the additional conditions specified in the appendix to this order.

**6.** The rate of prospecting fee will be Rs.5/- (Rupees five only) per hectare of the land covered by the Licence for each year or portion of a year or as revised by the Government from time to time.

**7.** The grantee should deposit as security a sum of Rs.2,500/- per every square kilometer and part thereof as prescribed in Rule 20 of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 before the Licence deed is actually executed.

**8.** The terms and conditions referred to in paras 5 to 7 of this order are subject to such further modifications, additions and alterations as may be ordered before the Licence deed is executed.

**9.** The grantee should execute the Licence deed within the time limit specified in Rule 15 of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960.

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**10.** The Director of Mines and Geology shall take necessary further action for the execution of the Licence deed after satisfying himself that the grantee fulfils all the required provisions of the amended Act and Rules. As soon as the Licence deed is executed, the date of such execution should be reported to the Government.

Note:- The grant is liable for cancellation, should it be found at later date that it was grossly inequitable or was made under a mistake of fact or owing to misrepresentation or fraud or in excess of authority

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Y. SRILAKSHMI  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To  
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Maharashtra State. (BY RPAD)  
The Director of Mines and Geology, Hyderabad (w.e.: File)

**Copy to:**

The Asst. Director of Mines and Geology, Mancherla, Adilabad District.  
The Collector, Adilabad District.  
The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines, Shastri Bhavan,  
New Delhi-110 001.  
The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, "A" Block,  
Indira Bhavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur-440 001.  
The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Bihar.  
The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.  
SF/SC(C.No.11098/M.III(2)/2005)

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